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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF IPC
NETWORK SERVICES, INC. FOR A
CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND
NECESSITY TO PROVIDE RESOLD POINT-TO-
POINT PRIVATE LINE TELECOMMUNICATION
SERVICES IN THE STATE OF ARIZONA.

DOCKET NO. T-20457A-06-0294

PROCEDURAL ORDER

BY THE COMMISSION:

On April 28, 2006, IPC Network Services, Inc. ("IPC" or "Applicant") filed with the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") an application for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity ("CC&N") to provide resold point-to-point private line telecommunications services in Arizona.

On June 5, 2006, the Commission's Utilities Division ("Staff") filed a Letter of Insufficiency and first set of data requests in this matter.

On July 5, 2006, IPC filed its response to the data request.

On June 4, 2007, IPC filed updated information in response to Staff's data requests.

On June 26, 2007, Staff filed its Staff Report recommending approval of IPC's application.

On October 19, 2007, by Procedural Order, this matter was set for hearing to begin on November 29, 2007.

On November 23, 2007, IPC docketed proof of publication in accordance with the Procedural Order issued in this matter. Subsequently, counsel for IPC contacted the Hearing Division stating the Applicant would be requesting a continuance in this matter.

On November 29, 2007, a full public hearing was commenced before a duly authorized Administrative Law Judge of the Commission at its offices in Phoenix, Arizona. Applicant failed to appear; however, the hearing was commenced for the taking of public comments.

1 On November 29, 2007, Applicant filed a request to continue the hearing in this matter so that
2 Applicant may obtain local counsel.

3 Good cause has been shown for the granting of a continuance of this matter and Applicant's
4 request should be granted.

5 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the **hearing in this matter is continued to January 22,**
6 **2008 at 10:00 a.m., or as soon as practicable, at the Commission's offices, 1200 West**
7 **Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona.**

8 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Applicant or local counsel for Applicant shall personally
9 appear at any future hearings in this matter.

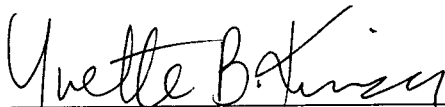
10 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all parties must comply with Rule 33(c) and 38(a) of the
11 Rules of the Arizona Supreme Court with respect to practice of law and admission *pro hac vice*.

12 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that withdrawal of representation must be made in compliance
13 with A.A.C. R14-3-104(E) and Rule 1.16 of the Rules of Professional Conduct (under Rule 42 of the
14 Rules of Arizona Supreme Court). Representation before the Commission includes the obligation to
15 appear at all hearings and procedural conferences, as well as all Open Meetings for which the matter
16 is scheduled for discussion, unless counsel has previously been granted permission to withdraw by
17 the Administrative Law Judge or the Commission.

18 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Ex Parte Rule (A.A.C. R14-3-113 - Unauthorized
19 Communications) continues to apply to this proceeding and shall remain in effect until the
20 Commission's Decision in this matter is final and non-appealable.

21 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Presiding Officer may rescind, alter, amend, or waive
22 any portion of this Procedural Order either by subsequent Procedural Order or by ruling at hearing.

23 Dated this 7th day of December, 2007.

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26 YVETTE B. KINSEY
27 ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
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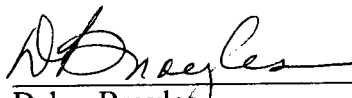
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